

IN THE ABSTRACT:

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~~In the present invention, an~~ The air clarifying apparatus (1), ~~comprising~~ includes a negative ion ~~generating means (2)~~ generator and an indoor air ~~circulating means~~ (4), circulator. ~~It further comprises~~ includes an ozone ~~generating means (3)~~ generator having a capability of maintaining the average concentration value of ozone in an indoor atmosphere at 0.02 to 0.05 ppm, ~~[[and]]~~ while the average concentration value of negative ions in the vicinity of the blowout port of the negative ion ~~generating means (2)~~ generator is maintained at 200,000 to 1,000,000 pieces/cc. With this configuration, ~~a comfortable indoor environment can be created by fully utilizing a relaxation effect obtained by negative ions and by allowing the negative ions [[to]] coexist with ozone having a low concentration so that the sterilizing effect or the antibacterial effect of the apparatus is enhanced.~~